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## GO SLOW ON BROOM CORN.

High Price of Crop Tempting Many  
Farmers into Untried Field.

The extremely high price of broom corn has aroused a widespread interest in the crop, says O. D. Center of the University of Illinois. Broom corn belongs to the same family as sorghum, Kafir corn, milo maize and Jerusalem corn, all of which are classified botanically as Andropogon sorghum. It differs from the other members of this group in having the seed heads with much longer, straighter, stronger straws or branches. These form the brush, which is the valuable portion of the plant.

Broom corn growing now is and will always remain a small industry because the demand for the brush is not only limited, but small. This crop, then, is not a profitable one to include in a system of general farming. According to the best authorities, the world's consumption of brush is less than 50,000 tons, and as this brush is used but for one purpose there can be no sudden increase in the amount required. The total world's supply could be produced on 130,000 acres, and the territory and men equipped for and engaged in broom corn growing already could easily double the present production if the demand warranted.

Broom corn is marketed wholly in the bale. Throughout central Illinois there are numerous jobbers and commission men who do nothing but handle this crop. Because of dishonest practices in baling, large dealers and factory



A BROOM CORN DRYING HOUSE.

operators are cautious about buying except from established and reputable jobbers.

Because broom corn is selling for as high as \$200 per ton many novices who are attracted by the high prices will plant extensively this season. Without a working knowledge of the requirements of the crop and without the special equipment necessary for its successful handling the result of this extensive planting will be an enormous overproduction of brush, much of which will be of very inferior quality.

It is seldom the man who undertakes a new line of business because of abnormally high prices who makes the money. It is the man who thoroughly learns a business and then sticks to it through high prices and low who comes out with the dollar. This being true, we must say that this is not a favorable time to embark in the business of broom corn production.

## Plowing Twice For Crop.

Sod land is very good for almost all crops if the season is seasonably wet and other conditions are favorable. One of the worst troubles with corn in sod land is that the cutworms living in the sod destroy much of the young corn. By plowing sod land for corn in late fall or early winter many of the cutworms will be destroyed; also when the land is plowed at this time the sod will have more time to settle and decay, and the corn next season will stand dry weather better. If the sod must be plowed again next spring no harm, but much good, will be done. Plowing any land twice for a crop or disking well after plowing is labor well spent.

## Beautify the Home Grounds.

Properly planting the right kind of trees, shrubs and plants on the home grounds means much more than mere beauty—it has a decidedly practical side. It is cheaper to beautify the home grounds than to allow them to go bare and uninviting. Decorating the home grounds transforms a house into a home. It makes the house a part of a beautiful picture and surrounds it with such evidence of loving care that it immediately impresses the beholder with the feeling that people live in the house—that they do not merely exist there.—Journal of Agriculture.

## BREVITIES.

Scandal is a very effective soiling crop.

Ten to one there is a surplus of lawyers, doctors and clerks in your county and a shortage of farm help.

The suggestion was made at a local English farmers' meeting that all moles should be killed at public expense. Next!

A Pennsylvania woman burned her husband's wooden leg as the only way to prevent him from going to a saloon. The judge upheld her.

Well, sir, if people cannot get beef, pork or mutton at fair prices they will eat more eggs and chickens. Mrs. Hen is coming to the front.

The figures show that 182,000 persons attended the various farmers' institute meetings in New York last winter. Of course many of these attended several sessions.

In England the trade in wornout or "sore" city horses has become so bad that parliament is asked for a law authorizing inspectors to kill all such animals that are found "doctored" or badly lame or diseased.—Rural New Yorker.

## A MOTHER'S REVERIE.

The Yesterdays of Her Boy as They  
Pass Before Her.

Yesterday you looked at me with your father's eyes. You clasped my finger with your tiny ones, clinging as for your life, and a tiny spark of life was kindled in my cold heart. Yesterday you walked alone, you stood proudly erect, flung back your head, with your father's own gesture, and said, "Boy."

Yesterday you wore your first little trousers and were indeed "mother's big boy." You have very likely forgotten, but I never shall, the huge monster of a dog that barked at us on our walk that day. You sprang before me and faced it valiantly. You stretched out your tiny arms and shrieked: "Go way! Don't you hurt my mother!"

Yesterday you came blindly to my sitting room with swollen eyes and blood stained lips. As I bathed and patched and trembled you blurted out: "He called you a name! Let any feller dast call my mother a name! I punched him good! Let him just dast say that again! He said you was a widow!" Dear little warrior, with your father's own chivalry! No wonder my starved heart feasted upon those divine crumbs of comfort.

Yesterday I sent you to college. I hope my misgivings showed not at all in the face. Yesterday I went to "the game." I sat with blanched cheeks and smiling lips through two hours of agony. I saw my stalwart son pounced upon, battered, victorious. I waved my hand to him as they carried him out on their shoulders, and he turned from all that shrieking throng—to me. It is hard to be a Spartan mother, but "Hands off!" You came straight to me after the rub down and said, "Mother, you're a brick!" You didn't know that I still shook inside.

Yesterday you left your college days behind you. You came to me after all the feasting and merry-making as I sat quiet again after awhile. We talked, you and I, of what you were to make of that larger life now so near at hand. My heart was glad to hear you say you would choose that same honorable calling to which your father's best was given. And I said to you then, as I have ever said, "Make of your life something clean and straight and honest, as was his." Your mother has watched to see you struggle against the waves of temptation.

But you have kept that promise. She has seen the man grow out of the youth not perfect, but facing toward the right. Dear boy, your mother is glad to tell you that.

Yesterday you told me, I had seen it coming—seen it even in spite of my cowardly denials to myself. She is a dear girl, an ideal mate for my manly son, and I pray you may be happy together. Yesterday was your wedding day—bright, beautiful, sunny. Never until I die shall I have to do anything again so hard as to stand through that solemn service.

Yesterday, my crowning yesterday, my heart sings as I write and is happy again, truly happy, as I never expected to feel in this world. You came to me, tall, straight, with a new expression of manliness in your eyes, and said: "Mother, he has come—my son! Isn't it wonderful?" You came to meet me and gathered me up in your strong arms and held me close to the heart that had rested so often on mine. Your voice came to me, softened with the tears of which your manhood was not ashamed. "Little mother," it whispered, "I never knew till now what you have suffered all these years to be alone—poor little mother!"—Helen Peck in New Idea Woman's Magazine.

## Encouraging Progress.

"Well, John, I haven't seen you for years and years, it seems to me," said Henry as the two met at a family homecoming. "How are all the folks? Suppose the boys have all grown up by this time?"

"Yes," answered John and with a pardonable show of pride, "Harry, you know, is a full fledged doctor now."

"Yes, yes; I suppose he is. It hardly seems possible. And how is he getting on?"

"Oh, fine!" answered the proud father. "He operated on his sixth patient the other day, and the man lived nearly two hours."—Newark Star.

## Not a Modern Custom.

In a certain church in Philadelphia the custom has prevailed of presenting to each scholar of the Sunday school an egg during the exercises at the celebration of Easter. On an occasion of the kind the assistant clergyman arose and made this announcement: "Hymn 419, 'Begin my soul, the exalted lay, after which the eggs will be distributed.'"

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No. 54—St. L. Fast Mail, 10:23 p.m.

No. 92—C. & St. L., 5:25 a.m.

No. 56—Hopkinsville Ac. 8:55 p.m.

No. 94.—Dixie Flyer, 6:15 p.m.

## TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

No. 51—St. L. Express 5:35 p.m.

No. 53—St. L. Fast Mail 5:33 a.m.

No. 93—C. & N. O. Lim. 11:50 p.m.

No. 55—Hopkinsville Ac. 7:05 a.m.

No. 95.—Dixie Flyer, 9:32 a.m.

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